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0-1	International Application No.	
0-2	International Filing Date	
0-3	Name of receiving Office and "PCT International Application"	
0-4	Form - PCT/RO/101 PCT Request	
0-4-1	Prepared using	PCT-EASY Version 2.92 (updated 01.10.2002)
0-5	Petition The undersigned requests that the present international application be processed according to the Patent Cooperation Treaty	
0-6	Receiving Office (specified by the applicant)	United Kingdom Patent Office (RO/GB)
0-7	Applicant's or agent's file reference	PZ0219-PCT
I	Title of invention	RADIOISOTOPE GENERATOR AND METHOD OF CONSTRUCTION THEREOF
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III-2-1	This person is:	applicant and inventor
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IV-1	Agent or common representative; or address for correspondence The person identified below is hereby/has been appointed to act on behalf of the applicant(s) before the competent International Authorities as:	agent
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V	Designation of States	
V-1	Regional Patent (other kinds of protection or treatment, if any, are specified between parentheses after the designation(s) concerned)	<p>AP: GH GM KE LS MW MZ SD SL SZ TZ UG ZM ZW and any other State which is a Contracting State of the Harare Protocol and of the PCT</p> <p>EA: AM AZ BY KG KZ MD RU TJ TM and any other State which is a Contracting State of the Eurasian Patent Convention and of the PCT</p> <p>EP: AT BE BG CH&LI CY CZ DE DK EE ES FI FR GB GR IE IT LU MC NL PT SE SK TR and any other State which is a Contracting State of the European Patent Convention and of the PCT</p> <p>OA: BF BJ CF CG CI CM GA GN GQ GW ML MR NE SN TD TG and any other State which is a member State of OAPI and a Contracting State of the PCT</p>
V-2	National Patent (other kinds of protection or treatment, if any, are specified between parentheses after the designation(s) concerned)	<p>AE AG AL AM AT AU AZ BA BB BG BR BY BZ CA CH&LI CN CO CR CU CZ DE DK DM DZ EC EE ES FI GB GD GE GH GM HR HU ID IL IN IS JP KE KG KP KR KZ LC LK LR LS LT LU LV MA MD MG MK MN MW MX MZ NO NZ OM PH PL PT RO RU SC SD SE SG SI SK SL TJ TM TN TR TT TZ UA UG US UZ VC VN YU ZA ZM ZW</p>
V-5	Precautionary Designation Statement In addition to the designations made under items V-1, V-2 and V-3, the applicant also makes under Rule 4.9(b) all designations which would be permitted under the PCT except any designation(s) of the State(s) indicated under item V-6 below. The applicant declares that those additional designations are subject to confirmation and that any designation which is not confirmed before the expiration of 15 months from the priority date is to be regarded as withdrawn by the applicant at the expiration of that time limit.	
V-6	Exclusion(s) from precautionary designations	NONE
VI-1	Priority claim of earlier national application	
VI-1-1	Filing date	11 April 2002 (11.04.2002)
VI-1-2	Number	0208356.6
VI-1-3	Country	GB

VI-2	Priority document request The receiving Office is requested to prepare and transmit to the International Bureau a certified copy of the earlier application(s) identified above as item(s):	VI - 1	
VII-1	International Searching Authority Chosen	European Patent Office (EPO) (ISA/EP)	
VIII	Declarations	Number of declarations	
VIII-1	Declaration as to the identity of the inventor	-	
VIII-2	Declaration as to the applicant's entitlement, as at the international filing date, to apply for and be granted a patent	-	
VIII-3	Declaration as to the applicant's entitlement, as at the international filing date, to claim the priority of the earlier application	-	
VIII-4	Declaration of inventorship (only for the purposes of the designation of the United States of America)	-	
VIII-5	Declaration as to non-prejudicial disclosures or exceptions to lack of novelty	-	
IX	Check list	number of sheets	electronic file(s) attached
IX-1	Request (including declaration sheets)	5	-
IX-2	Description	16	-
IX-3	Claims	5	-
IX-4	Abstract	1	EZABST00.TXT
IX-5	Drawings	1	-
IX-7	TOTAL	28	
	Accompanying items	paper document(s) attached	electronic file(s) attached
IX-8	Fee calculation sheet	✓	-
IX-17	PCT-EASY diskette	-	Diskette
IX-19	Figure of the drawings which should accompany the abstract	1	
IX-20	Language of filing of the international application	English	
X-1	Signature of applicant, agent or common representative		
X-1-1	Name (LAST, First)	HAMMETT, Audrey, Grace, Campbell	

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10-1	Date of actual receipt of the purported international application	
10-2	Drawings:	
10-2-1	Received	
10-2-2	Not received	
10-3	Corrected date of actual receipt due to later but timely received papers or drawings completing the purported international application	

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10-4	Date of timely receipt of the required corrections under PCT Article 11(2)	
10-5	International Searching Authority	ISA/EP
10-6	Transmittal of search copy delayed until search fee is paid	

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11-1	Date of receipt of the record copy by the International Bureau	
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0-4	Form - PCT/RO/101 (Annex) PCT Fee Calculation Sheet	
0-4-1	Prepared using	PCT-EASY Version 2.92 (updated 01.10.2002)
0-9	Applicant's or agent's file reference	PZ0219-PCT
2	Applicant	AMERSHAM PLC, et al.
12	Calculation of prescribed fees	fee amount/multiplier Total amounts (GBP)
12-1	Transmittal fee T	⇒ 55
12-2-1	Search fee S	⇒ 592
12-2-2	International search to be carried out by	EP
12-3	International fee	
	Basic fee	
	(first 30 sheets) b1	278
12-4	Remaining sheets	0
12-5	Additional amount (X)	6
12-6	Total additional amount b2	0
12-7	b1 + b2 = B	278
12-8	Designation fees	
	Number of designations contained in international application	95
12-9	Number of designation fees payable (maximum 5)	5
12-10	Amount of designation fee (X)	60
12-11	Total designation fees D	300
12-12	PCT-EASY fee reduction R	-86
12-13	Total International fee (B+D-R) I	⇒ 492
12-14	Fee for priority document	
	Number of priority documents requested	1
12-15	Fee per document (X)	22
12-16	Total priority document fee P	⇒ 22
12-17	TOTAL FEES PAYABLE (T+S+I+P)	⇒ 1,161
12-19	Mode of payment	authorization to charge deposit account
12-20	Deposit account instructions	
	The receiving Office:	United Kingdom Patent Office (RO/GB)
12-20-1	Authorization to charge the total fees indicated above.	✓
12-20-2	Authorization to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment in the total fees indicated above.	✓

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12-20-3	Authorization to charge the fee for priority document.	✓
12-21	Deposit account No.	DO3022
12-22	Date	09 December 2002 (09.12.2002)
12-23	Name and signature	HAMMETT, Audrey, Grace, Campbell <i>Audrey Hammett</i>

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A device for producing a fluid containing a radioactive constituent, comprising a shielded chamber (5) with an opening for receiving an isotope container (6) housing a radioactive isotope (7); a chamber closure (18) adapted for cooperating with and closing the chamber opening; a first fluid port comprising a first hollow needle projecting into the shielded chamber from the chamber closure for fluid communication with the isotope container; a second fluid port comprising a second hollow needle projecting into the shielded chamber from the closed end of the chamber opposite the chamber closure for fluid communication with the isotope container; first and second compressible buffers (28, 29) mounted so as to surround at least partially the respective first and second hollow needles (12, 13), each buffer providing an outer surface for contact with opposed ends of the isotope container; and a spacer of a predetermined thickness associated with one or each of the first and second compressible buffers for determining the positioning of the isotope container within the shielded chamber.

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